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MISSOULA--

The University of Montana women's basketball team dropped its season record to 1-5 in home action against Washington State University and Boise State last weekend.

Free throws made the difference in Friday night's game against WSU when Montana succumbed 59-53 to the steady Pullman team. Both teams shot 35% from the floor with 22 field goals, but Washington State converted 15 of 27 free throws to UM's 9 of 19.

Candie Stevens and Cheryl Sandbak took scoring honors for UM with 11 points each. Stevens also tied for rebounding honors with Linda Deden. Both grabbed 12 boards.

None of the UM squad hit double figures Saturday night in their 66-35 loss to Boise State. UM trailed the hot-shooting Broncos throughout the game and were behind 32-18 at the half. Boise's Elaine Elliot scored 28 points while hitting 12 of 20 from the field and 4 of 6 from the charity line. Boise made 41% of its field goals to UM's cold 27%.

Montana will be on the road next week in contests against Central Washington and Eastern Washington.

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